2025 Illinois Professional Truck Driving Championship

DRIVER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS & INFORMATION

NO EMAILED DRIVER ENTRIES

Submit ALL competing company driver entries, release and recap forms at the same time. Mail to: Illinois Trucking Association

Attn: Linda Blisset 932 S Spring St. Springfield, IL 62704

Driver Entry <u>\$350.00 per driver</u>. Fees must accompany all the entries or be submitted by <u>May 2</u>, <u>2025</u>. Check or Credit Card is acceptable. Invoicing A company must be requested with Linda.

The following forms are required and will be available for download at ITA website <u>www.iltrucking.org</u>. Deadline for all participating driver entries is May 2, 2025, by 4:00 pm. no exceptions.

PRINT CLEARLY!! (I need to be able to read the entries)

- Driver Registration form (do not copy form on front and back, single pages only staple in left corner. Do not leave blank spaces on entry form, put n/a if it doesn't apply.
- MVR dated March 1, 2025, or after
- Copy of CDL with picture (the picture must be clear)
- Copy of Driver's medical card or current information found on MVR.
- Drivers BIO form. Filled out! These are used by the announcer.
- A rookie is a driver who has never competed in a TDC in any state

27 Driver maximum per company. 3 entries per class. 2 alternates will be allowed, entry must be submitted by <u>May 2, 2025</u>.

Company Recap Form must be completed and returned with driver entries.

Teams are as follows:

Companies entering 10 or less drivers will compete for the small entry team trophy. Companies entering 11 or more drivers will compete for the large entry team trophy. Every driver's score will count toward the company's team trophy award chance.

Every 3 drivers entered required the company must provide (1) volunteer. The volunteer forms can be emailed to <u>linda@iltrucking.org</u>.

Facts for Drivers can be ordered through ATA on their website. ITA will not provide them.

TDC 2025 June 6 & 7, 2025

Driver Schedule:

<u>FRIDAY – June 6, 2025</u>

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- 5:00 pm. Cocktail reception at TPCC
- 6:00 pm. Awards Banquet at TPCC

Banquet provided to driver; other banquet tickets must be purchased by date.

PAYMENT INFORMATION-Please select the method being used.

Company Name	
Address	
Contact	
Number of driver entries.(\$350.00 each)	
Credit card information: MasterCard, Visa, Disco	ver, American Express
Credit Card #	
Expiration date	CCV
Check enclosed	
ITA invoice request:	
Contact	
Email Address	

2025 STATE AND NATIONAL TRUCK DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS & STEP VAN DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Driver Entry and Release

(Be sure to complete Driver Registration on Page 2)

Contestant's Name:
Preferred Nickname:
Competition State:
Hosting State Association:
Employer:

Class of Competition (check one)

Straight Truck (Single 2-axle vehicle) *CDL Requirement: Class B*

3-Axle (2-axle tractor & 1-axle 28' semitrailer) *CDL Requirement: Class A*

4-Axle (2-axle tractor & 2-axle 53' semitrailer) *CDL Requirement: Class A*

5-Axle (3-axle tractor & 2-axle 53' semitrailer) *CDL Requirement: Class A*

Sleeper Berth (3-axle sleeper tractor & 2-axle 53' semitrailer) CDL Requirement: Class A

Tank Truck (3-axle tractor & 2-axle tank semitrailer) CDL Requirement: Class A - (N) Tank or (X) Combined Endorsement

Flatbed (3-axle tractor & 2-axle flatbed semitrailer) *CDL Requirement: Class A*

Twin Trailers (2-axle tractor & set of 28' semitrailers) CDL Requirement: Class A - (T) Twins Endorsement

Step Van (Step or Package Van)

CERTIFICATION BY EMPLOYER. I hereby certify that I am aware of the provisions of Chapter V, Eligibility Rules, of the Truck Driving Championships Rules & Procedures and applicable appendices including the Step Van Driving Championships rule summary; that the contestant named herein is eligible to compete under these rules; that the contestant's employer is a member of an ATA-affiliated State Trucking Association; that the contestant's employer will indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the ATA and State Trucking Association and any other contestant, attendee, and equipment donor for any claims, damages, losses, expenses to the extent caused by the negligence or willful misconduct of the contestant, and that all information furnished about them is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Employer Manager's Signature (NOT driver's):

AGREEMENTS AND RELEASE

In consideration of my being permitted to participate in the ATA's National and/or its affiliates' Truck Driving Championships (TDC) or Step Van Driving Championships (SVDC) and be eligible for awards offered to participants, I hereby stipulate and agree to the following:

- 1. I acknowledge that I am not in the employ of ATA or a State Trucking Association.
- Both as to myself and my heirs and personal representatives, I release ATA, its directors, employees, agents and/or any of its affiliates and the State Association noted above, its directors, employees, agents and/or any of its affiliates from any and all liability and any right of action that may arise from any damage or injury which I may receive while attending or participating in said State or National TDC or National SVDC.
- 3. I grant the State Association listed to the left and ATA and its designated agencies exclusive right to make use of information about myself and of photographs supplied with this entry form, along with photographs subsequently taken under ATA's direction, in publicity and advertising activities. I further agree to make myself available for publicity enterprises arranged by ATA, with newspaper and magazine writers and radio and television personnel.
- 4. I grant State Association listed to the left and ATA the right to examine my MVR for the purposes of determining my eligibility to compete at both the State and National TDC or SVDC.
- 5. I will be bound by all orders, rules and regulations governing ATA's National and/or its affiliates' TDC or SVDC while participating in said competitions.

CERTIFICATION BY CONTESTANT. I certify that:

- 1. I have been continuously employed as a truck or step van driver by my present employer during the 12 months prior to the 2025 TDC.
- 2. I have driven and performed the regular duties of a truck or step van driver during the 12 months prior to the 2025 TDC.
- 3. I have not been away from the regular duties of a professional truck driver beyond an aggregate of 30 calendar days during the 12 months prior to the 2025 TDC.
- 4. I have not been involved in a *Preventable* fleet motor vehicle accident during the 12 months prior the 2025 TDC. See TDC Rules and Procedures, Appendix I for determining non-preventable accident eligibility.
- 5. I have the proper class CDL or DL plus required endorsement(s) for the class of competition indicated to the left.
- 6. I hold a CDL (DL if SVDC) from or have been occupationally domiciled in the state of ____

Occupational domiciled is defined as the terminal, garage or other operating base from which the driver normally works, is supervised and/or where employer is corporately headquartered.

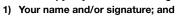
7. I have not served as a member of any State Trucking Associations Truck Driving Championships Committee during the 12 months prior to the 2025 TDC / NTDC.

Competing drivers may still serve as volunteers and support for State Truck Driving Championships and National Truck Driving Championships in which they are not competing.

- 8. That the class of competition I am entering in 2025 is not a class in which I won at the state or regional TDC and/or competed at the National TDC or National SVDC in 2023 and 2024. I understand that after winning two consecutive years at the State TDC and/or competing two consecutive years at the Nationals in that same class of competition, I am not eligible to compete in that same class for one year if a step van competitor and two years if a competitor in any other class.
- 9. I have not received any form of pay, bonus, prize or other consideration for time spent in practice as set forth in the Truck Driving Championships Rules & Procedures. I agree that if I compete and win the State TDC, that I will compete at the National TDC or SVDC (as applicable), unless disqualified or am detained due to a medical emergency, in which case I will notify the applicable State Trucking Association immediately. I acknowledge that any misstatement made with respect to my eligibility for the TDC or SVDC competition may result in the forfeiture of my right to compete or in my disqualification from said competition.

Driver's Signature:

• Attach a copy of your MVR showing:



2) Class of CDL (or license if SVDC applicant).



2025 STATE AND NATIONAL TRUCK DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS & STEP VAN DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Driver Registration

Driver Registration must be completed to be eligible for National competition!

Contestant's Name:Contestant's Name Pronunciation:Competition Class:Competition State:	Lifetime Safe Driving Miles: Number of Years: w/ No-Accident Record: in Trucking Industry: w/ Employer:
Home Address:	Number of Accidents: Preventable:
Home City/State/ZIP:	
Home Phone:Cell Phone: Email: REQUIRED to receive registration confirmation	
KEQUIKED to receive registration confirmation Spouse/Guest Name:	Awards Received:
Employer:	
Employer Main Office Address: Contestant's Home Terminal: Safety Manager Name:	- Volunteer Experience:
Safety Manager Phone:	
If different than safety manager: Registration Manager Name:	Below and above information is used at Nationals to determine ND Professional Excellence Award eligibility. Please enter previous State/National TDC or SVDC in which you competed or volunteered below. Attach separate page if additional space is needed.
Registration Manager Phone: Registration Manager Email:	How many times have you participated in a:







YearStateCompeted ClassCompeted RankVolunteer RoleImage: Image: I

COMPANY REGISTRATION RECAP FORM *Fill Out Completely*

Company

Company Contact

Contact Phone #

Contact Fax #

Company Email

Driver Name	Class Entered	Bo	Bonkia	Other Info	Military Branch
	Straight Truck	Ves	No		
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	Straight Truck	🛛 Yes	O No		
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2nd Annual TDC Driver/Volunteer Family Fun Time

Friday June 6, 2025, 2:30-5:30 pm.

Tinley Park Convention Center

Register to Attend

Name
_
How many are in your group
Company Name
Number Attending
Phone

Children must be accompanied by a parent

Complete this registration form for each person attending with their group total and return to Linda - linda@iltrucking.org

If you have question email or call Linda 630-654-0884 option 3.



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Tinley Park Convention Center

Volunteer Registration form

Volunteers must be at the convention center by 1:45pm. to receive directions on where you will be working.

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2025 ILLINOIS PROFESSIONAL TRUCK DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIP

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Friday June 6th will be the 2nd annual Driver/Volunteer Family Fun Day 2:30-5:30. There is no charge, however, registration is requested.

Driver written exam Friday – June 6th – Driver check-in 5:30 pm. The exam starts at 6:00 pm. until 7:00 pm. Immediately following the exam will be the driver meeting, until 8:00 pm.

Saturday Skills and Pre-Trip will be all day. Skills is open to spectators and tents can be rented through the ITA for your company's convenience and comfort.

Saturday Breakfast and Lunch will be provided to Drivers and Volunteers. See schedule.

Cocktail Reception 5:00 pm. and Awards Banquet 6:00 pm until completion. Banquet Tickets are required for all attendees <u>EXCEPT PARTICIPATING DRIVERS!</u>

2025 Driver registration fee is \$350.00 per driver. <u>ATA Participating Driver registration forms</u> and other driver information required from drivers will be made available in February 2025.

Banquet Tickets – Adults \$90.00, children 4-12 \$45.00 (3 and under no charge)

The full schedule and registration forms/information are attached, and can also be located on the ITA website www.iltrucking.org

If you have questions, please email Linda Blisset linda@iltrucking.org

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SATURDAY June 7th - BOX LUNCHES ARE ONLY PROVIDED FOR COMPETITORS AND VOLUNTEERS

BANQUET ADULT DINNER TICKETS

_____x \$90.00 = _____

BANQUET CHILD DINNER TICKETS (age 4 to 12) _____ x \$45.00 = _____

DO NOT INCLUDE THE COMPETING DRIVER'S IN YOUR BANQUET TICKET ORDERING

Banquet June 7th, 2025, approximately 6:00 pm. Happy Hour (Cash Bar) 5:00 pm.-6:00 pm. Bar will remain open until 8:00 pm.

WHERE DO YOU WANT THE TICKETS SENT? (PRINT CLEARLY)

Billing Zip Code for C/C			CVV Code the ITA office by May 12, 2	
Visa/MC/Discover:			Exp. Date	/
This is assigned seating Lind		u with the table d tickets requests	iagram for your selection. Selection are made.	on is made in
City	State	Zip	E-mail Address	
Address		Pł	none	
Company				
Contact Name				

Please send completed form(s) with payment to: Illinois Trucking Association, 2250 S. Chicago St. Joliet, IL 60436 Or linda@iltrucking.org

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FRIDAY – JUNE 6

7:008 am.	Kickoff breakfast for setup volunteers
8 am3 pm.	Set-Tinley Park Convention Center
2:30 pm5:30 pm	n. Driver/Volunteer Family Fun Time
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7:00 pm.	Driver 's Meeting
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SATURDAY – JUNE 7

Volunteers:	
6:00 am.	Volunteer & Staff Breakfast
6:30 am.	Volunteer check-in
7:00 am.	Volunteers at their work area
Drivers:	
6:30 am.	Breakfast for Driver's
7:00 am.	Registration for Driver's in Holding area
7:45 am.	Drivers proceed to Open Ceremony – in a group
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11:00 am.	Lunch will be distributed to Drivers & Volunteers
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SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE

Presenting Sponsor (2)	\$ 6,000
Championship Banquet (5)	\$ 2,600
Driver/Volunteer Fun Day Sponsor(3)	\$ 2,600
Trophy Sponsor	\$ 2,600
Driver/Volunteer Lunch	\$ 1,900
Bar Sponsor	\$ 2,000
Championship Program	\$ 1,600
DJ Sponsor	\$ 1,600
Score Booth	\$ 1,250
Driver/Volunteer Breakfast	\$ 1,200
Social Media Sponsor	\$ 1,200

GOLD SPONSORSHIP - \$2,000.00

Recognition in the Truck Driving Championship program Recognition at the awards ceremony Full page advertisement in the program

SILVER SPONSORSHIP - \$1,750.00

Recognition in the Truck Driving Championship program Recognition at the awards ceremony 1/2-page advertisement in the program

BRONZE SPONSORSHIP - \$ 1,500.00

Recognition in the Truck Driving Championship Program Recognition at the awards ceremony Business Card Size advertisement in the program

□ Pre-Trip Sponsor \$ 1,200 □ Skills Course Sponsor \$ 1,200 □ Announcer \$ 1,200 Driver Challenge Coins \$ 1,200 Door Prize Drawing \$ 1,000 □ Grand Champion \$ 1,000 Rookie of The Year \$ 1,000 Highlighted Video \$ 1,000 Written Test Sponsor \$ 900 □ Golf Cart Sponsor \$ 800

CLASS SPONSOR - \$1,000.00

□ STRAIGHT TRUCK

- 3-AXLE
- □ 4-AXLE
- □ 5-AXLE
- □ SLEEPER BERTH
- □ TANK TRUCK
- □ FLATBED
- □ TWIN TRAILERS
- STEP VAN

Exclusive naming rights to each class. Sponsors will be recognized continually throughout the event, in the program, signage and at the awards ceremony.

Name	Company
Address	City/State/Zip
Phone	E-Mail
Visa/MasterCard/Discover Acct. #	Exp
Billing Address	CVC
5,	IL 60436 - 630-654-0884 option 3 @iltrucking.org
<u>Deadline for Sponsorships (to guarantee signage): May 16, 2025</u>	

Illinois Trucking Association Professional Truck Driving Championships Volunteer Registration Form			
June 7 ^{th,} 2025 - <mark>Saturday</mark> Tinley Park Convention Center 18451 Convention Center Drive, Tinley Park, IL 60477			
IF YOU CANNOT COMMIT TO	O THE ENTIRE DAY, LET ME KNOW IN ADVANCE		
Print Clearly	Email registrations to: linda@iltrucking.org		
Registration deadline:	May 16, 2025		
Name:			
Company:			
Address:			
City, State & Zip:			
Phone:	Email:		
I have been a volunteer in previo	ous years Yes No		
If yes, please indicate where you	u worked or what your preference is.		
	 Pre-trip Den Course Timer Escort Other: 		
T-SHIRT SIZE			
Other information			

Please contact Linda Blisset at 217-789-6017, with any questions you may have. A registration email confirmation will be sent to you letting you know your volunteer position. A week prior to the TDC we will have a volunteer webinar for skills and pre-trip to cover the specifics

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TENT REQUEST

Tents must be rented through the Illinois Trucking Association. The ITA has arranged with a tent provider to supply 10 tents 20X20 for the companies that want to have a tent for the TDC.

<u>\$1000.00 20X20 tent (no sides) water barrel or block secured.</u> <u>4 Tables and 24 Chairs included</u>

To allow everyone an opportunity to rent a tent and select which position your tent will be, these tents will be on a first come first serve basis. You will select your position by what your order number was.

May 21, 2025, deadline.

Only 1 tent per company. No other tent providers will be allowed.

You are responsible for your tent. If you damage the tent in any way. You will be charge for the repair or replacement.

The Tinley Park Convention Center does not allow food to be brought in. If a company needs food, you will need to arrange food with the Tinley Park Convention Center caterers.

Contact Linda at ITA 630-654-0884, option 1, or email <u>linda@iltrucking.org</u> to receive information about catering.

TENT RENTAL AGREEMENT

This form and payment must be received at the ITA office by May 21, 2025. On a first come first served basis, when all 12 tents are rented, tents are sold out.

I authorize a rental of 1 - 20x20 tent with 4 tables and 24 chairs provided. If more chairs are needed what number is needed there will be an additional charge.

\$1000.00 TENT RENTAL

Company authorized signature.

PRINT CLEARLY

I acknowledge the company will be responsible for the tent. If damage occurs, we will be billed accordingly for repair or replacement of the tent. _____ (initials)

Contact Name			
Company			
Address			
Phone			
City	State	Zip	
E-mail Address			
Visa/MC/Discover/Am I Exp. Date/			
Billing Zip Code for C/C CVV Code			
Mail check to the addre	ess below		
	send completed for Association, 932		2704

or

linda@iltrucking.org (if using credit card)

TDC 2025

June 7, 2025

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menu



Do Rite Donuts minimum one dozen

Wings buffalo or bbq

Deli Sandwich & Chips

roast beef & provolone black forest ham & swiss

Brisket Mac & Cheese serves 30 guests

Coleslaw

serves 30 guests

Coffee per gallon - 16 cups

Water / Soda Gatorade Red Bull **\$40.00** per dozen

\$13.50

\$125.00

\$55.00

\$85.00

\$3.50 \$6.00

\$6.00